

BOND UPDATE #137

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Here's what is going on with our bond projects:

1. Just a reminder: this will be the final update of the year. We will not be sending out updates the next two Fridays, due to the Christmas Eve and New Year's Eve holidays.
2. Work on the FHS campus has continued to progress this week. Some of the highlights are outlined below:
 - a. Soil prep under the football field is just about finished. Concrete work in the area will start next week.
 - b. Crews continued prepping more areas on the second and third levels of the Academic Wing this week, getting ready for our next elevated concrete floor slab pour next week.
 - c. Crews finished installing the perlin beams and insulated wall/roof panels for the Athletic Wing. Decking, detailing and welding work continues in the academic wing. Once those sections are complete, we will be ready to pour the rest of the second and third level floor slabs.
 - d. Interior framing work is still going on the first- and second-levels of the Academic Wing, but is now moving eastward. Exterior wall framing continues and more of the building is becoming closed in.
 - e. Mechanical and electrical work inside the walls – also known as “rough-in” – is still ongoing in the Academic Wing, moving to the east end of the building. The heating and ventilation crew have made good progress on installing ductwork.
3. At the end of this week's update you will find several photos from the Ferndale High School site. You can also find more photos on the district website at the following link: [Bond 2019 - Ferndale School District \(ferndalesd.org\)](http://ferndalesd.org)
4. Here is some construction work that will take place during Winter Break while FHS staff and students are away:
 - a. A natural gas shutdown will allow for the installation of a gas manifold, which will temporarily heat the new building during construction.
 - b. Crews will dress up the gravel in the CTE parking area, making it nice and smooth when the staff who park there return in January.
 - c. The carpet that will be used in the new building will be installed in the choir room of the Performing Arts Center Building – the one building we aren't replacing – starting Monday. This will allow the district to see the new carpet and make a final decision on whether to use it throughout the new school.
 - d. Additional security cameras will be installed around the new building to provide off-hours security.
5. Crews will begin the process of repairing the damage caused by the recent floods to the existing CTE Building at Ferndale High School on Saturday.
6. In early January, Ferndale High staff will get a chance to tour the construction site they've been viewing from their office and classroom windows.

If you have questions or comments about any of the content of this update, please feel free to reach out to me or one of my colleagues. I hope you have an enjoyable holiday season.

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